

Saguaro National Park Centennial Saguaro Survey – Plot 9 February 23, 2016 Tanque Verde High School



Students from Tanque Verde High School collected data from plot 9, which was established in 1990. Each column in the graph below indicates how many saguaros were counted. The columns show a size range, from smallest to largest. The light blue columns represent the saguaros Tanque Verde monitored. Comparing the data from past surveys, there has been a slow decline of the saguaro population on plot 9. We saw a shift of saguaros from one height class to another, which is expected since it has been five years since we surveyed this plot. Thank you Tanque Verde High School for coming out and becoming knowledgeable saguaro monitors!

Saguaro Plot #9

